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PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of: Rice, et al.

Application No.: 10/622,349  
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For: SOAP DISPENSER

Group No.: 3752  
Examiner: C. Kim

Mail Stop Amendment  
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AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL

1. Transmitted herewith is an amendment for this application.

STATUS

2. Applicant is a small entity. A statement was already filed.

EXTENSION OF TERM

3. The proceedings herein are for a patent application and the provisions of 37 C.F.R. 1.136 apply. Applicant petitions for an extension of time under 37 C.F.R. 1.136 (fees: 37 C.F.R. 1.17(a)(1)-(4)) for three months:

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### FEE FOR CLAIMS

4. The fee for claims (37 C.F.R. 1.16(b)-(d)) has been calculated as shown below:

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FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEP. CLAIM				+ \$	0.00	= \$	0.00
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5. Authorization is hereby made to charge the amount of \$0.00 to Deposit Account No. 061910.

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**Response Under 37 C.F.R. 1.111**

This paper is being filed in response to the Official Action dated January 3, 2005. Please amend the application as set forth below.